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WE WANT TO TELL YOU SOMETHING THAT YOU DO NOT KNOW.

Christmas is Coming
AND THIS IS OUR
Red Letter Month.
WE INTEND TO MAKE ALL OF OUR
Customers Happy
BY MAKING SPECIAL
RED LETTER PRICES DURING DECEMBER.

We
Will
Sell

2 Cases Best Standard Dark Dress Prints, 3c per yard, worth 6c.
A lot of Lancaster and other best Gingham, only 5c per yard, worth 10c.
About 1000 yards of 1 yard wide Henriettas and Fancy Wool Dress Goods at 15c per yard.
A lot of double width 54 inch Dress Flannel at 42c pr. yd.
All Wool Red Blankets at \$1.98.
Children's Fleece Hose, black, at 10c per pair.
The balance of our All Wool 40 inch Skirts for 69c each.
All Wool Shirting Flannels at 20c.
2 bales of L. L. Muslin at 4c.
Henderson A Muslin at 5c, worth 7c per yard.
Canton Flannels at 5, 7 and 8c pr. yd., worth much more.

All Our Underwear will be Sold Regardless of Cost.

**WE
SHALL
OFFER**

Our best 50c and 60c All Wool Henriettas and Serges at only 37½c per yard.
Our very best silk finish German Henriettas, 69c pr. yd.
All our Silks and Velvets at cost.

ON THE SECOND FLOOR.

**WE
WILL
CLOSE**

The balance of our Cloaks at Manufacturers' Prices.
All our Shawls at less than cost.
Best all wool Carpets at only 48c per yard.
Extra C. C. Carpet at 39c.
Our 40c Carpet at 30c.
Our 30c Carpet at 25c.
Portiers and Window Shades at greatly reduced prices.

**ON SALE IN OUR
5 and 10 Cent
DEPARTMENT.**

The greatest and cheapest lot of Dolls, you ever saw.
The largest line of Picture Books you ever dreamed of.
Vases, Rose Bowls, Etc., at very low prices.
Toys and Games of every description at lower prices than you ever heard of.

We intend to do all these things and lots more during the RED LETTER MONTH. Closing Out Sales, Bankrupt Sales and the like will all be

COMPLETELY ECLIPSED

by this sale of all the new and salable merchandise we possess and as usual we will make this the BANNER MONTH OF THE YEAR, as far as sales are concerned.

PROFITS DIVIDED amongst those who attend this gigantic sale. We do not intend to make a nickel for ourselves. Our aim is to be POPULAR AMONG OUR PATRONS and unload our enormous stock this month, so we can get money to buy our next year's goods for CASH.

During this sale we will of course do a STRICTLY CASH BUSINESS. You can readily see that selling goods at these prices MUST NECESSARILY BRING CASH. Come along, bring your friends and get the benefit of

UNHEARD OF BARGAINS.
L. A. KLOEPFER.

Winter Poetry.

The Rochester girl:
She's the pluck of perfection and beauty,
And at home or abroad is on duty;
And in the catching of beaux
As all the world knows,
She clings to the best and the booty.

The Plymouth girl:
The point of her nose is too snubby,
Her form is too short and stubby;
She's excessively fat
'Tho she cannot help that,
And she can never get a rich hubby.

The Logansport girl:
She smiles a sweet smile that is simple,
At the point of her chin is a dimple;
She stares with her eyes to appear very wise,
But her feet are too large to be supple.

The Peru girl:
She writes in a hand-writing clerkey,
She talks with an emphasis jerkey;
She is painting on tiles in beautiful styles,
But she does not know chicken from turkey.
—Rochester Republican.

Ta rub a dub, rub a dub-dubby,
Oh root ta root root ta root tooty;
Oh la la la,
Oh caw caw caw caw,
With a hoot ta hoot hoot ta hoot tooty—hah.

Eyes of sunlight,
Hair of midnight,
Cheeks of peachblow,
Bust of Juno,
Has the Plymouth girls; I know.

Heart's devotion,
Love's emotion,
Passion's ocean
Of commotion,
Has the Plymouth girls; I know.

Majestic mien,
And smiles serene,
None such e'er seen,
She walks a queen,
Has the Plymouth girls; I know.

Lips dewy, sweet,
Salute to greet
But, Lord! to meet
Such ponderous feet!
Have the Rochester girls; I know.

North, Center Tp., Items.

Farmers are all wishing and praying for good weather to finish husking corn, for there is plenty of it to shuck.

Mrs. Dill is anxious to rent her farm to some reliable farmer, and is now after Mr. Poor.

Wm. Murphy butchered nine hogs Tuesday, and of course has some meat to eat, and sausage to fry.

If the old sign counts for aught, we will not have very cold and severe weather this winter, for it is said that the first three days of December rules the three preceding months, and of course Saturday, Sunday and Monday were favorable days.

Our school teacher is a natural female, who teaches in district number nineteen. The scholars all think her rather severe, because she is determined to make them mind. Rob Schroeder, the skunk catcher, passed through here on Monday, with shovel and dogs, enroute for skunks, betting us a coonskin that he would capture three before night. Did he do it? No!

Hokey called on his neighbor, Mr. Bowerman last Sunday and found to his surprise that his brother, William and family from near Atwood, his sister, Mrs. Ambrosier, of Iowa, were there and his son John and family, of near Plymouth all waiting the arrival of his brother, Peter Bowerman. All had a good time.

P. I. Grube is out with his tools putting patent weather strips on doors, thereby causing people to be happy.

The United Brethren are holding a protracted meeting at the Walnut Grove church.

Mrs. Samuel Miller and child, living in the widow Dill's house, are quite sick. Dr. Kaiser is the attending physician.

Through the never ceasing effort of Cyclone and company, the literary society has been reorganized at the Stuck school house, Friday nights, weekly. Go it Johnny.

By HOKEY.

Bourbon.

The ladies of the M. E. church held a banquet in the Odd Fellow's dining hall, Thanksgiving day and evening.

Ben Mattack and his troop played, or we might better say, perpetrated, the play of Damon and Pythias on the citizens of Bourbon, Thursday evening.

As far as we have heard, the troop was composed of amateurs from Warsaw, and nothing can be said in favor of the rendition of the play, save that it showed forth the monumental nerve of the actors, who had the gall to get up and compose their speeches as the play progressed. Another thing that shows forth their cheek is their behavior at the Central house. We learn from Mr. O'Brien, proprietor of the Central house, that after he had made special rates to the company, that rather than go to bed, they stayed up all night and waited for the morning train. During the night they gave Mr. O'Brien's larder a

visit and ate one turkey and several chickens, also cakes, pies etc., throwing the bones and crumbs all over the room, and ruining a \$10 bed spread. They left on the 3:25 train and to cap the climax left a dollar as payment. So taking it all in all, we might say that Warsaw has the nerviest set of amateurs in this part of the state. It is only fair to state that this production of Damon and Pythias was not given under the auspices of any K. P. lodge.

Chess is getting to be all the go among the boys of Bourbon, about a dozen have learned how to play the game during the past week.

Richard Reed has moved his saloon to the rooms formerly occupied by the Golden Rule.

Geo. McCoy has removed his barber shop to the James block.

The Iron clad block is being enlarged.

The thanksgiving high school social was held at the home of B. S. McAlpine, the visitors listened to an interesting program, after which the young people had a good time.

Next Saturday the teachers of this township hold one of their unique institutes, will report it next week.

The two lots north of the high school building were sold at sheriff sale for \$200, we learn. In these times property is way up isn't it?

Last week turkeys were raffled at the fair ground. The local sports were out there in large numbers.

THE INDEPENDENT is rapidly gaining favor in Bourbon and vicinity. We have heard but the highest words spoken of it as a newspaper.

There is a movement on foot, we have heard, to enlarge the corporation extent of this town.

Twin Lakes.

Mesdames Steel, Miller and Crantz visited Mrs. Morris Agler last week.

The sheep that A. A. Miller sent to Canada for, arrived Tuesday, after being five days and nights on the road. It is a dandy and will doubtless do much toward improving Mr. Miller's stock.

The great improvements and repairs made on Stuck church are about completed. The building has been thoroughly overhauled and repainted. There will be a Christmas tree and grand festival held there on Christmas eve.

Our school house has been furnished with a new stove.

It's quite expensive fishing with a sein in Twin Lakes.

The literary society organized last week held its first meeting last Friday evening. The question discussed was "They do all celebrate Thanksgiving." A good audience was present and every one enjoyed themselves. The officers of the society are W. White president, Bert Miller secretary, Milt Strawhacker, treasurer.

Ten families, about forty in number met Thanksgiving at the house of A. A. Miller's and enjoyed an oyster supper, or more correctly speaking, a feast of oysters and sundries including cake of every known kind. Every one enjoyed themselves hugely. If there had been a prize offered for the champion eater, it would have probably resulted in a dead heat for Frank and William. Twin Lakes is noted for the open hearted hospitality which characterizes all the social gatherings of the neighborhood, and this Thanksgiving supper is only one more evidence of the good fellowship and kindly hospitality of our community.

The literary society meets to night. The subject will be, "Resolved, that school days are the happiest of our life." The chief speakers will be Chas. Stuck affirmative, John W. Nicols negative.

"CYCLONE"

Job Work.

We would modestly inform the business men of Plymouth, that our facilities for job work, are of the best. In purchasing material for our job department, we took special care to secure the latest faces in the job line. We have one of the best workmen that could be secured in Chicago, and we mean just what we say, when we GUARANTEE our work to give entire satisfaction. All we desire is an opportunity prove our assertions to be correct.

Cash.

We want to buy for cash, White and Burr Oak BOLTS. Also Water Elm Butts, random length, not less than four inches at small end nor over eight inches in diameter. Delivered at our factory. For further information call at factory or at Ketcham and Wilson's Hardware Store.

THE PLYMOUTH WAGON CO.

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